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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application No.

10/802,166

Applicant(s)

James Robert Schwartz

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03/17/2004

Title

Composition Comprising Zinc-Containing Layered

Material with a High Relative Zinc Liability

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Examiner

Ernest V. Arnold

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Customer No.

27752

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a)

Commissioner for Patents P. O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

An extension of time is hereby requested under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) for filing a reply in the above-identified application.

Authorization is hereby given to charge the following fee and any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 16-2480 in the name of The Procter & Gamble Company:

Three month extension under 37 CFR 1.17(a)(3) - \$1,020.00 [x]

Respectfully submitted,

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